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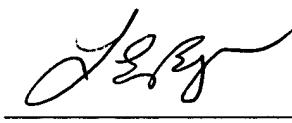
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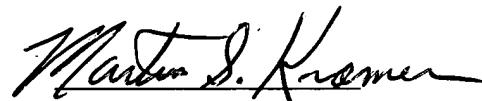
1. I am a co-inventor of the above identified Patent Application, and I have been provided with a copy of the claims now pending in the present application.

2. I am also a co-inventor of Byrnes et al, US patent number: 6,610,369, issued August 26, 2003.
3. I disclosed the claim subject matter of the instant application in Byrnes et al, US patent number 6,610,369 to meet best mode requirements.
4. The claimed subject matter of the instant application that was disclosed but unclaimed in Byrnes et al US patent number 6,610,369 was derived from me.
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